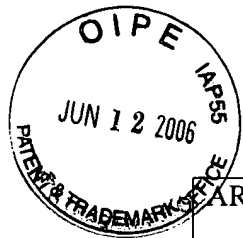


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Dear Sir:

The present amendments and remarks are in response to the March 7, 2006, Office Action, where the Examiner rejected all of the pending claims. A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is filed herewith. Before reconsideration of the present Application, please enter this Amendment and consider the accompanying responsive remarks.

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS FOR AMENDMENTS

Please amend the specification and claims in the manner indicated below. In the following amendments, an underline is used to indicate new text, and strikeouts are used to indicate deleted text. The amendments to claims 11 and 12 are supported by the specification on page 4, lines 15-18 and page 6, lines 17-25 as originally filed, and by claims 24-26, which are cancelled herein. Accordingly, it is believed that no new matter is added by the following amendments.